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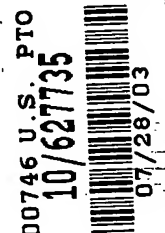
MAIL STOP PATENT APPLICATION

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Re: Application of Naoya HASHIMOTO, Teruo MIYAOKU, Shiro HASEGAWA,
Chiaki SUGANO, Hiromasa OZAWA, Hirohisa OHTA,
ELECTROMAGNETIC DEVICE STRUCTURED TO RESIST CORROSION
Assignee: MITSUBISHI DENKI KABUSHIKI KAISHA
Our Ref: Q76528



Dear Sir:

This is a request for a Continuation Application of pending prior Application No. 09/892,846 (Confirmation No. 2911) filed June 28, 2001 of Naoya HASHIMOTO, Teruo MIYAOKU, Shiro HASEGAWA, Chiaki SUGANO, Hiromasa OZAWA, Hirohisa OHTA, entitled ELECTROMAGNETIC DEVICE STRUCTURED TO RESIST CORROSION.

This application is being filed under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(b). Enclosed is a specification, including the claims and abstract, and 9 sheets of drawings. Also, enclosed is a copy of the Declaration as filed in the prior application, an Information Disclosure Statement, a PTO/SB/08 A & B (modified) listing references cited by applicant and/or the examiner during prosecution of the prior application, a second IDS citing new references, and a Declaration.

The prior application is assigned to Group Art Unit 2832.

Amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence:

This is a continuation of Application No. 09/892,846 filed June 28, 2001; the disclosure of which is incorporated herein by reference.

Priority is claimed from:

| <u>Country</u> | <u>Application No</u> | <u>Filing Date</u> |
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| Japan | 2000-327225 | October 26, 2000 |

The priority document was filed in parent Application No. 09/892,846.



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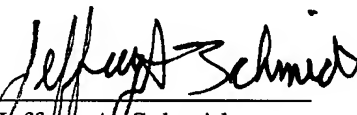
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The application is timely filed.

Respectfully submitted,

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